

RIVER TRASH ROUND UP

May 2, 2009
9:00 AM – Noon



Our River Our Responsibility

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“Water links us to our neighbor in a way more profound and complex than any other.”

John Thorson





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Be Green

Save the Date!!

Arkansas River Trash Roundup

May 2nd, 2009

Cargill

9 am - Noon

Free T-shirts · Free Food · Clean River





8th Annual River Trash Round Up

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Check in: Lawrence Dumont
Parking Lot

*Immediately following the clean up, Cargill will host a FREE cookout as a thank-you to all the hard working volunteers. The cookout will take place back at the Lawrence Dumont parking lot



Rain or Shine!!



Right before River Festival, the largest community river clean up is held. In 2008, 150 citizens came to the river on a chilly morning to participate.



Volunteers rescue lots of “treasures” from the river!



Volunteers may bring their own canoe or kayak to aid in the clean up effort.



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Instructions:

- Pick up gloves and bags at the Lawrence Dumont Check-In Station
- Wear sturdy shoes and clothes that can get dirty
- Wear sunscreen, a hat and insect repellent
- You may bring tools such as rakes or nets for grabbing trash
- Bring water or something to drink
- BE SAFE!
- Enjoy a post-clean up cookout with Cargill at Lawrence Dumont Stadium

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Volunteers carry full bags and large debris to the curb. On average, the clean up recovers over ton of trash from the river.



Loyal Public Works crews drive the clean up route, load up, and provide a final weight on all the trash collected.



Each year the clean up events become more and more popular.



Come connect with the river and help ensure that its legacy as the heart of Wichita will continue in our community.



*"Water should not
be judged by its
history, but by its
quality"*

*Dr Lucas Van Vuuren, National Institute of Water
Research, South Africa*





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